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DRAFTED BY REVISED TEXT RECD FROM WHITE HOUSE

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TO AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDEV, PP, US

SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE

REF: PORT MORESBY 0914

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO GOVERNOR GENERAL AT  
APPROPRIATE TIME PRIOR TO SEPT. 16. QUOTE DEAR  
GOVERNOR GENERAL GUISE: I EXTEND PERSONAL BEST WISHES  
AND THOSE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AS PAPUA NEW GUINEA  
CELEBRATES ITS FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. IT IS  
APPROPRIATE ON THIS SPECIAL DAY TO CALL ATTENTION TO  
THE WARM FRIENDSHIP AND THE DEEP AND LASTING BONDS  
WHICH UNITE THE PEOPLES OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES. SINCERELY,  
GERALD R. FORD UNQUOTE

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2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION  
TO RELEASE BY GPNG. ROBINSON

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